

Sandra L. "Sandy" Genis

Occupation: Land Planner/Mayor

Education: Estancia High School, Stanford University

For thirty years, whether on or off Costa Mesa City Council, I've stood for preserving neighborhoods, public safety and fiscal responsibility--and always protecting Fairview Park.

I voted to:

- Increase police and fire staffing;
- Update emergency and hazard planning;
- Ensure adequate safety facilities and equipment, including auxiliary power and new fire station.

I stood up against Orange County Needle Exchange Program in state review.

I've fought for neighborhoods, working to:

- Reduce variances from open space and parking requirements;
- Stop incompatible, non-residential uses.

I voted to protect single family neighborhoods from increased density;

- voted no on high density 2015 general plan;
- voted no on 56 unit/acre, costly for taxpayers (over \$1,500,000.00) Motor Inn project; and
- urged preservation of Banning Ranch at Coastal Commission.

We must spend less and save more. I supported financial reserves at full level recommended by Costa Mesa Finance Advisory Committee. Worked to:

- Establish trust account to save for downturns;
- Preserve public lands like Fairview Developmental Center and Orange County Fairgrounds for public purposes.

Costa Mesa residents have the right to clean, open government. Let's strengthen disclosure laws.

I'll be accountable and available to the public, treating all residents and businesspeople with respect.

Vote Sandy Genis for Mayor.